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SUBJECT: BULGARIAN-IRAQI COLLABORATION IN PETROLEUM FIELD

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BEIRUT POUCH BAGHDAD

1. PRESS AUGUST 3 ANNOUNCED ARRIVAL IN SOFIA OF IRAQI MINISTER OF PETROLEUM INDUSTRY AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DISCUSS "EXPANDING MUTUAL CONTACTS IN THE FIELD OF PETROLEUM PROCESSING AND PETROCHEMICALS".

2. COMMENT: IF EMBASSY ASSESSMENT (REFTEL) CORRECT THAT GOB FAILED FIND BASIS FOR PETROLEUM COOPERATION WITH IRAQ DURING EL BAKR VISIT, DIFFICULTIES PROBABLY NOW OVERCOME. RUMORS ARE CIRCULATING IN SOFIA THAT KYRIL SHTEREV, FORMER GOB AMBASSADOR TO CANADA AND MORE RECENTLY CHIEF OF PROTOCOL, WILL SOON BE NAMED AM-BASSADOR TO IRAQ.
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